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Post-Office Notification

For **GHANAOH**, **Per "Elgin,"** on Monday next, the 7th instant, at 3 P.M.

A Mail will close

For **SINGAPORE, PENANG, JOJOE DE GALLE AND BOMBAY**—**Per "Nepaul,"** To-day, the 5th inst., at 1 P.M.

A Mail will close

For **SWATOW, AMOY, AND KOCHINCHINA**—**Per "Fue-laang,"** To-morrow, the 5th instant, at 3.30 A.M.

MAILS will be made up at this office for the Peninsula and Oriental Steam Navigation Company's General Packet—**"EMEC,"** on **BRIDAX,** the 11th August, at 6 P.M.

To the United Kingdom, to France, and other Continental States (in a piece of Mail to France)

bay, Culemba, Madras, and all parts of India; to Sydney, Melbourne, Adelaide, Perth, New Zealand, and Tasmania. (via Point de Galle; S. Mauritius, Socas, Aden, Malta, Gibraltar, and Alexandria; and a Supplementary Mail will be made up on the following scale: Letters, from 12 noon on 9th to 11 o'clock for a late fee of 12 cents each; Newspapers 8 cents each; and from 11 a.m. to half-past 12 p.m. for a late fee of 24 cents on each Letter, and 8 cents on each Paper. Registered Letters will not be received after 5 o'clock p.m. on the 11th August.

The second Supplementary Mail will be kept open for the receipt of Letters only for England, France, and the United States of America, via Marseilles and via Southampton, until 11 o'clock p.m. on the 12th August. All Letters posted before the 12th August, All Letters must be

Letters for the United Kingdom via Marseilles and via Southampton, and also Letters for Singapore, can be posted on board from 1.30 to 1.50 p.m. for a rate of 38 cents each, in addition to the postage, after which no letters can be received.

Sealed Boxes containing the correspondence of Box Holders will be received at the Window as part for the purpose.

All correspondence for places to which preparation is compulsory must be prepaid in Hongkong Postage Stamps.

Efficiently Stamped Letters addressed to the United Kingdom will be sent on a line of one shilling being charged in addition to the postage due upon all such Letters, which may be posted before 6 p.m. on the 14th August.

correspondence, addressed to places to which it cannot be forwarded unpaid, will be opened and returned to the writers. Letters of this class, which may be prepared before 6 p.m. on the day of closing the Mail, will be returned to the writers on the following day, but no guarantee can be given that such Letters, which may be posted on the morning of the departure of the Packet, will be returned until after the closing of the Mail.

The Postage Stamp should be placed on the upper right hand corner of the correspondence, except in cases where they may be used in payment of "Late Fees" when the Stamp or Stamp representing the late fee should be placed on the lower left hand corner of the correspondence.

All transactions in fractional parts of a Dollar will be conducted in the same manner as for Dollars, and the fractional part of a Dollar will be rounded off to the nearest cent.

to specified will either be received or given
in change as fractional parts of a Dollar.

Payment for Postage Stamps must be made in
the current Dollars of the Colony or Bank Notes.

P. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.

Hongkong, 31st July, 1865

It is hereby notified for general information
that under an agreement with the Union Steam
Ship Company a branch mail Packet will, in fu-
ture, be despatched Monthly from Port Lon-
don (Maipheik) to Table Bay (Cape of Good Hope)
calling at Natal, immediately after the arrival
of the Packet from Suva and Aden, that is about
the 25th of each month, and will return to Por-
t Louis in time for the Packet appointed to leave

ture, be dispatched Monthly from
(Mauritius) to Table Bay (Cape of G

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and so on adding 16 cents for each ounce of iron
on an ounce after the first ounce. Newspa
pers 2 cents each.

F. W. MITCHELL
Postmaster General.
General Post Office,
Hongkong, 11th February, 1885.

Intimations.

PUN LUN.
PHOTOGRAPHER.
Queen's Road, No. 53, Opposite the
ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.
Takes Portraits, Groups, &c, in best style, a
keeps constantly on hand the views of Town

WEST POINT RICE MILLS.
This Establishment is now ready to receive orders for Rice to be cleaned, and the undersigned are prepared to receive, land, store, clean and ship Rice in any quantities. A new large very powerful boiler has been put on for the Mills, and large costly additions have been made to the Machinery which is now in full and perfect working order, the improvements which have been effected enabling the undersigned to guarantee the cleaning of Rice in a manner not to be equalled either by any other Mills in the Colony by the tedious hand-labour of the Chinese.

of Rice in the working day and if greater quantities are required it can be attained. The 8-10-ton boats are made of granite and are large, airy, and comfortable against the wind. The pier is situated at the mouth of the river, and the tide is at the largest cargo boats to lie, alongside and load or discharge.

Terms can be ascertained on application to undersigned at the Mills where orders will be received. Persons unable to attend at the Mills will be waited on at their offices and all orders carefully and promptly executed.

DABREEM & Co.
(1873 Hongkong, 11th July, 1887.)

WEST POINT SAWING AND PLANING MILLS.

THIS Establishment is now fitted with the most improved and extensive machinery for the

Sawing and Planing wood and to undertake contracts for supplying wood-work for building furniture and carpenters and joiners work generally. The sawing, planing, jointing, moulding and turning machines are of the latest and perfect kind, and all work entrusted to the establishment will be guaranteed to be turned out with rapidity and in a style which third-class carpenters compete. Contracts undertaken either the supply of the necessary wood or for the building and furnishing.

Mr. A. D. Mitchell having had several years experience in establishments similar to the above mentioned, he will superintend the work of same.

Terms can be ascertained on application to the Mills, West Point.

(1874) Hongkong, 11th May, 1885.
HORSE SHIRING.
M^r JAMES GREEN, will, from this date
 until further notice, carry on the
 Shaving business, under the name of "The
 Stable" at his late residence and responsible
 to 1507 Hongkong, 1st June, 1885.

NOTICE.
NEITHER the Captain nor the Agents of
 British Barque "*Queen's Own*" will
 be responsible for any Debt or Demand
 of the Crew of said vessel, during the stay in
 1703 Hongkong, 20th June, 1885.

M. SIMONS.
Soda Water Manufactory,
 No. 10, U. in the Lane, which runs between

1865 Seda Water, Lemongrass, Ginger Beer, &
539 Hongkong, 4th January, 1885.

